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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Gerald Quinnan <i>et al.</i>)	
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Application No. 09/762,261)	Group Art Unit: 1648
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Filed: May 29, 2001)	Examiner: Shanon Foley
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For: Expression and Characterization of HIV-1)	
Envelope Protein Associated With a Broadly)	
Reactive Neutralizing Antibody Response)	

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.